

Class 12 Geography Chapterwise PYQs

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Chapter 1: Transport and Communication

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HOW TO USE THIS BOOKLET

1. **Attempt a section** on your own. Questions run newest year first.
2. **Check the Answer Key**, then follow a question number to its solution.
3. **Study the solution.** Note each *Common Mistake*, then return via "Back to Q n".

SECTION A

1-Mark Questions

Multiple choice · 19 questions

Attempt these first, then check the Answer Key and open any solution.

1. 12. Which one of the following cities serve as headquarter of two railway zones ?
1 (A) Kolkata (B) Chennai (C) Jaipur (D) Bilaspur

- (A) Kolkata
- (B) Chennai
- (C) Jaipur
- (D) Bilaspur

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2. 12. Which one of the following organisations regulate the air traffic of major (A) Airport Authority of India (B) Indian Airport Commission (C) Indian Air Control Board (D) Airport Development Authority

- (A) Airport Authority of India
- (B) Indian Airport Commission
- (C) Indian Air Control Board
- (D) Airport Development Authority

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3. 14. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly (Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry
Study the following table carefully and answer the Question Nos. 15 to 17 :
Human Development Index 2022 S.N. Country HDI Value

- (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia
 - (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
 - (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam
 - (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry
- Study the following table carefully and answer the Question Nos. 15 to 17 : Human Development Index 2022 S.N. Country HDI Value

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4. 8. If you were asked to prepare a 'hill area development programme', which of the following must be kept in mind ? Choose the correct option : 1 I. Establishing heavy industry III. National Highway construction (C) II and III (D) II and IV
- (C) II and III
 - (D) II and IV

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5. 7. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly matched ? 1 (Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry
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 - (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
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6. 11. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly (Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

- (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia
- (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
- (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam
- (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

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7. 12. Which one of the following is the prime objective of 'Border Roads Organisation' ? (A) Strengthening urban roads (B) Strengthening defence preparedness (C) Strengthening rural roads (D) Strengthening economic preparedness
- (A) Strengthening urban roads
 - (B) Strengthening defence preparedness
 - (C) Strengthening rural roads
 - (D) Strengthening economic preparedness

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8. 13. Which one of the following institutions constructed the 'Golden Quadrilateral Project' ? (A) National Highways Authority of India (B) State Highway Authority (C) Central Public Works Department (D) Border Roads Organisation
- (A) National Highways Authority of India
 - (B) State Highway Authority
 - (C) Central Public Works Department
 - (D) Border Roads Organisation

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9. 9. Choose the correctly matched pair : (Railway Zone) (Headquarter) (A) East Central Bhubaneswar (B) West Central Mumbai (C) North Central Gorakhpur (D) South Central Secunderabad

- (A) East Central Bhubaneswar
- (B) West Central Mumbai
- (C) North Central Gorakhpur
- (D) South Central Secunderabad

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10. 11. Match Column I with Column II correctly and choose the appropriate option :
Column I (Railway Zone) Column II (Headquarter) a. Northern i. Chennai b. Southern ii. Mumbai c. Eastern iii. New Delhi d. Western iv. Kolkata Options : (A) a-i, b-iii, c-ii, d-iv (B) a-i, b-iii, c-iv, d-ii (C) a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii (D) a-iii, b-i, c-ii, d-iv
- (A) a-i, b-iii, c-ii, d-iv
 - (B) a-i, b-iii, c-iv, d-ii
 - (C) a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii
 - (D) a-iii, b-i, c-ii, d-iv

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11. 11. Which one of the following states is not a partner of 'Konkan Railway' ?

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12. 11. Which one of the following is the biggest government undertaking in the country ? (A) Indian Railways (B) National Highways Authority of India (C) Border Roads Organization (D) All India Radio
- (A) Indian Railways
 - (B) National Highways Authority of India
 - (C) Border Roads Organization
 - (D) All India Radio

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13. 12. Read the programmes related to the proposed Bharatmala umbrella scheme carefully and choose the correct option : I. Backward areas, religious and tourist

places connectivity programme II. To interconnect the four metropolitan cities of the country III. To develop State roads in adjoining coastal areas IV. To connect non-major ports in coastal states Options : (A) Only I, II and III are correct. (B) Only II, III and IV are correct. (C) Only I, III and IV are correct. (D) Only I, II and IV are correct. 64/2/1-12 11 P.T.O.

- (A) Only I, II and III are correct.
- (B) Only II, III and IV are correct.
- (C) Only I, III and IV are correct.
- (D) Only I, II and IV are correct. 64/2/1-12 11 P.T.O.

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14. 7. Which of the following sea route connects Vancouver and Yokohama ? (A) South Atlantic sea route (B) North Pacific sea route (C) North Atlantic sea route (D)
- (A) South Atlantic sea route
 - (B) North Pacific sea route
 - (C) North Atlantic sea route

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15. 7. Which one of the following sea routes is the busiest in the world ? (a) The North Pacific Sea Route (b) The South Pacific Sea Route (c) The Northern Atlantic Sea Route (d) The Southern Atlantic Sea Route
- (A) The North Pacific Sea Route
 - (B) The South Pacific Sea Route
 - (C) The Northern Atlantic Sea Route
 - (D) The Southern Atlantic Sea Route

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16. 10. Which of the following features is not true regarding NHAI ? (a) It is an autonomous body under the Ministry of Surface Transport. (b) It is responsible for constructing and maintaining National Highways. (c) It also constructs village link roads. (d) NHAI was operationalized in 1995.

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- (B) It is responsible for constructing and maintaining National Highways.
- (C) It also constructs village link roads.
- (D) NHAI was operationalized in 1995.

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17. 9. routes ? (a) Land and air routes (b) Land and sea routes (c) Air and sea routes (d) Only sea routes
- (A) Land and air routes
 - (B) Land and sea routes
 - (C) Air and sea routes
 - (D) Only sea routes

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18. 10. Which of the following is not true regarding the development of border roads ? (a) Integration of people of remote areas with major cities (b) Strengthening defence preparedness (c) Helps in transporting goods to border villages (d) Help in developing large scale industries
- (A) Integration of people of remote areas with major cities
 - (B) Strengthening defence preparedness
 - (C) Helps in transporting goods to border villages
 - (D) Help in developing large scale industries

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19. 5. Evaluate the significance of 'Border Roads'.

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SECTION C

3-Mark Questions

SA · 13 questions

Section C of the paper, 3 marks each. Sorted newest year first.

20. 19. Study the given map carefully and answer the questions that follow : Trans-Siberian Railway (19.1) Name the easternmost terminal station of the given rail route. 1 (19.2) Name the most important agro centre along the rail route. 1 (19.3) Name the Sea near to the westernmost terminal station. 1 Note : Following question is for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu for Question No. 19. Describe any three features of 'Trans-Siberian Railway'. 3 SECTION – C Question Nos. 20 to 23 are Short Answer type questions. (4 × 3 = 12)

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21. 21. Explain the importance of the 'Northern Atlantic Sea Route'. 3

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22. 23. Explain the need to extend the network of national highways in India. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long Answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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23. 23. Explain the role of 'border roads' in the defence of the nation. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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24. 23. Explain the role of oil and gas pipelines in the economic development of the country. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long Answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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25. 18. Read the given passage carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3 1=3
Services Services occur at many different levels. Some are geared to industry, some to people, and some to both industry and people, e.g., the transport systems. Services, such as grocery shops and laundries are more common and widespread than high-order services or more specialized ones like those of accountants, consultants and physicians. Services are provided to individual consumers who can afford to pay for them. For example, the gardener, the launderers and the barber do primarily physical labour. Teachers, lawyers, physicians, musicians and others perform mental labour. Many services have now been regulated. Making and maintaining highways and bridges, maintaining fire fighting departments and supplying or supervising education and customer care are among the important services most often supervised or performed by governments or companies. State and Union legislation have established corporations to supervise and control the marketing of such services as transport, telecommunication, energy and water supply. Professional services are primarily health care, engineering, law and management. The location of recreational and entertainment services depends on the market. 64/1/1-11 13 P.T.O. (18.1) Mention any one example of common and widespread services. 1 (18.2) Who supervises and controls the marketing of services ? 1 (18.3) 1

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26. 19. Study the given map and answer the questions that follow : 1+1+1=3 (19.1) Name the railway line given in the map. 1 (19.2) 2 1 + 2 1 =1 (19.3) Explain the importance of the railway line given on the map. 1 Note : The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 19. -Continental 3 1=3 (A) (B) 64/2/1-12 19 P.T.O. SECTION C Questions number 20 to 23 are Short Answer Type Questions. 4 3=12

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27. 19. Study the given diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3 1=3 Inland Waterway (19.1) With which waterway is the given diagram related ? 1 (19.2) Mention the names of places marked (A) and (B) in the given diagram. 1 1 + 2 2 =1 (19.3) Explain the importance of the waterway given in the diagram. 1 Note : The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 19.

28. 18. Study the given diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3
1=3 Inland Waterway (A) (B) 80 79 30 9 9 80 79 30 64/3/2-13 15 P.T.O. (18.1) With
which waterway is the given diagram related ? 1 (18.2) Mention the names of
places marked (A) and (B) in the given diagram. 1 1 + 2 2 =1 (18.3) Explain the
importance of the waterway given in the diagram. 1 Note : The following
question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only lieu of Q. No. 18.

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29. 12. Describe the importance of sea routes in handling India's foreign trade.

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30. 10. Study the map given below carefully and answer the questions that follow :
Identify the waterway and name it. Through which countries does this waterway
pass Explain the economic importance of this waterway. Note : The following
question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 10 :
Explain any three characteristics of the Danube inland waterway.

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31. 13. Study the diagram given below and answer the questions that follow : Name
the State in which this steel plant is located. Which rail route provides transport
facilities to this plant What is the main source of power for this steel plant Note :
The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q.
No. 13 : Explain any three characteristics of Tata Steel Plant. Dalli Rajhara Hills
Line

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32. 11. Study the map given below carefully and answer the questions that follow :
Identify the waterway and name it. Through which countries does this waterway
pass Explain the economic importance of this waterway. Note : The following
question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 11 :
Explain any three characteristics of the Danube inland waterway.

SECTION E

5-Mark Questions

Long Answer · 35 questions

Section E of the paper, 5 marks each. Sorted newest year first.

33. 25. (a) “Railway is the mode of land transport for bulky goods and passengers over long distances.” In the context of this statement, explain the significance of railways in the world. 5 (b) “Road transport is the most economical for short distances compared to railway.” In the context of this statement, explain the significance of road transport in the world. 5

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34. 29. In the given political outline map of the world, seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five of them with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 × 1 = 5 A. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway D. An international shipping canal E. An area of ‘subsistence gathering’ F. An area of ‘commercial livestock rearing’ G. An area of ‘dairy farming’ Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Attempt any five. 5 × 1 = 5 29.1 Name the westernmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway. 29.2 Mention a major sea port on the western coast of South America. 29.3 Mention an international airport of Kenya. 29.4 Name the shipping canal joining Pacific and Atlantic Oceans. 29.5 Mention one major region of ‘subsistence gathering’ in Africa. 29.6 Name a major area of ‘commercial livestock rearing’ in United States of America. 29.7 Name the major area of ‘dairy farming’ in North America.

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35. 25. (a) “Roads play a vital role in trade and commerce of a country across the world.” Support the statement with examples. 5 (b) “Railways are a mode of land transport for bulky goods and passengers over long distances in the world.” Support the statement with examples. 5

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36. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A terminal station on the Trans-Australian Railway C. A major international airport D. An important inland waterway E. An area of subsistence gathering F. An area of extensive commercial grain farming G. An area of mixed farming Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name the western terminal station of the Trans-Australian Railway. (29.2) Name the place where a major sea port is located along the western coast of the United States of America. (29.3) Name the place where a major international airport is located in (29.4) Mention the important inland waterway between Canada and the United States of America. (29.5) Mention a region of Africa where subsistence gathering is practised. (29.6) Name the area where extensive commercial grain farming is practised in New Zealand. (29.7) Mention an area of mixed farming in South America.

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37. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A major area of subsistence gathering B. A major area of extensive commercial grain farming C. A major area of nomadic herding D. A major area of commercial livestock rearing E. A terminal station of trans-continental railway G. A major international airport Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of subsistence gathering in South America. (29.2) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming in Africa. (29.3) Name a major area of nomadic herding in Asia. (29.4) Name a major area of commercial livestock rearing in North America. (29.5) Name the easternmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian railway. (29.6) Name the place in Western Australia where a major sea port is located. (29.7) Name the place of the United Kingdom where a major international airport is located.

[Check Solution →](#)

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- 38.** 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A terminal station on Trans-Continental Railway C. An international airport D. A canal connecting Red Sea with Mediterranean Sea E. An area of subsistence gathering F. An area of nomadic herding G. An area of extensive commercial grain farming Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name the western terminal station of Trans-Canadian Railway. (29.2) Name the place where a major sea port is located in Yemen. (29.3) Name a place in United States of America where an international airport is located. (29.4) Name the canal which links Red Sea with Mediterranean Sea. (29.5) Name an area of subsistence gathering in South America. (29.6) Name an area of nomadic herding in Africa. (29.7) Name an extensive commercial grain farming region of Australia.

[Check Solution →](#)

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- 39.** 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An area of extensive commercial grain farming B. A shipping canal C. A major sea port in Australia D. A major airport in Japan E. A major sea port of South America F. An area of subsistence gathering G. A major inland waterway Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming in Africa. (29.2) Name the canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea. (29.3) Name the major sea port located in western part of Australia. (29.4) Name the major airport of Japan. (29.5) Name the major sea port of Brazil. (29.6) Name the main area of subsistence gathering in Africa. (29.7) Which is the major inland waterway in North America ? 64/1/1-11 19 P.T.O.

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40. 25. (a) Name the canal linking the Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea. Explain its main features. 1+4=5 OR (b) Explain the characteristics of the Cape of Good Hope sea route. 5

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41. 25. (a) Explain the characteristics of Trans-Siberian Railway. 5 OR (b) Explain the characteristics of Trans-Canadian Railway. 5

[Check Solution →](#)

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42. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An area of extensive commercial grain farming B. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway C. An area of D. An area of commercial livestock rearing E. A major sea port of Asia F. A major international airport of Europe G. A major shipping canal Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming of South America. (29.2) Name the eastern terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway . (29.3) Name an area of nomadic herding in Africa. 64/2/1-12 23 P.T.O. (29.4) Name the major country of commercial livestock rearing of South America. (29.5) Name the place where a major international airport is located in Japan. (29.6) In which country is Vancouver International Airport located ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea.

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43. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. B. - C. D. E. A major sea port of Asia F. A major international airport of Europe G. A major shipping canal Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) South America. (29.2) - (29.3) 64/2/2-12 23 P.T.O. (29.4) Name the major cou South America. (29.5)

Name the place where a major international airport is located in Japan. (29.6) In which country is Vancouver International Airport located ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea.

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44. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. A major area of subsistence gathering B. A major area of nomadic herding C. Terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway D. A major sea port of South America E. A major airport of Asia F. An inland waterway G. A major shipping canal Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of subsistence gathering of North America. (29.2) Write the name of a major area of extensive commercial grain cultivation of Eurasia. (29.3) - (29.4) Name a major sea port located on the western coast of Canada. (29.5) Write the name of a major airport of Japan. (29.6) With which continent is Rhine Waterway related ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal connecting Atlantic Ocean to Pacific Ocean. 64/3/1-13 23 P.T.O.

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45. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. The largest country in Africa B. An area of extensive commercial grain farming C. A major seaport D. A shipping canal E. An international airport F. The westernmost station of the Australian Trans-Continental Railway G. The largest country in South America Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Which is the largest country in Africa ? (29.2) Name an area of extensive commercial grain farming in Argentina. (29.3) Name any one major seaport in Japan. (29.4) Name the canal that connects the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean in the West. (29.5) Name a major airport of New Zealand. (29.6) Name the canal that

connects Red Sea to Mediterranean Sea. (29.7) Name the largest country in South America.

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46. 26. (a) Describe the development of railways in Europe and Russia. 3+2=5 OR (b) Describe the benefits of water transport over railways. 5

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47. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. A major airport in Australia B. Largest country in terms of area in Europe C. A major seaport in South America D. A terminal station of Trans-Canadian Railway E. A major area of subsistence gathering F. Largest country in terms of area in Africa G. Terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name any international airport of Australia. (29.2) Name the important waterway that links the Great Lakes with the Atlantic Ocean. (29.3) Name the major seaport of Chile. (29.4) Name the terminal station of Trans-Canadian railway on the western end. (29.5) Mention the major area of subsistence gathering in Africa. (29.6) Name the largest country in Africa in terms of area. (29.7) Name the easternmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

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48. 28. (a) Describe the development of railways in Europe and Russia. 3+2=5 OR (b) Describe the benefits of water transport over railways. 5 SECTION E Questions number 29 and 30 are Map based Questions.

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49. 29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any

five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An international airport in South America B. A canal linking Atlantic Ocean with Pacific Ocean C. A major seaport in Australia D. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway E. A major area of commercial livestock rearing F. An area of extensive commercial grain farming G. A major seaport in Asia Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name any one international airport of Argentina. (29.2) Which canal links Atlantic Ocean with Pacific Ocean ? (29.3) Name any one major seaport of Australia. (29.4) Which is the terminal station on the eastern end of Trans-Siberian Railway ? (29.5) Mention the major area of commercial livestock rearing in Argentina. (29.6) Name any one area of extensive commercial grain farming. (29.7) Name any one major seaport located in Pakistan.

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50. 17. Analyse any five points of importance of 'pipelines' as means of transportation. OR Analyse the three factors that affect the development of inland waterways. Explain the significance of Rhine inland waterways.

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51. 21. Identify the five geographical features shown on the given political outline map of the A, B, C, D and E. Write their correct names on the lines drawn near them with the help of the following information : (A) An industrial region (B) A major seaport (C) The terminal station of a transcontinental railway (D) An international airport A mega city Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu (21.1) Name any one industrial region of U.S.A. (21.2) Name any one major seaport of Chile. (21.3) Name the eastern terminal station of Australian transcontinental railway. (21.4) Name any one international airport of France. (21.5) Name the mega city of Philippines.

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[2019]

52. 20. "Pipelines have become the most convenient and efficient mode of transporting liquids and gases over long distances in India." Support the statement with examples.

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53. 17. AWdm Describe the significance of 'Trans-Siberian Railway'. OR Describe the significance of 'Trans-Canadian Railway'.

[Check Solution →](#)

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54. 20. "Indian railways network is one of the longest networks of the world and has contributed a lot to the growth of the economy." Support the statement.

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55. 21. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify them with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : An area of nomadic herding An industrial region An international airport A mega city The terminal station of 'Trans-Continental Railway' The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Mention any one area of nomadic herding in Africa. Name any one industrial region of Europe. Name any one international airport of the United States of America. Name any one mega city of Brazil. Name any one terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2019]

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56. 16. AWdm Which apex body develops the border roads border roads with examples. OR Explain with examples any five steps taken to increase the performance and quality of Indian Railways.

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57. 21. On the given political outline map on the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify these features with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn on the map near them : A major seaport An international airport A Mega city An area of nomadic herding The largest

country of the continent in terms of area The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any one major seaport located on the western coast of North America. Name any one international airport located in the western part of Australia. Name any Mega city of Africa. Name any one area of nomadic herding in Southern Hemisphere. Which is the largest country in terms of area in South America

[Check Solution →](#)

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58. 21. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify them with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : An area of 'Dairy farming' A major seaport An international airport An industrial region The terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any one major area of dairy farming in the world. Name any one major sea port of Norway. Name an international airport in Chile. Which is the largest country in South America Name the western terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

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59. 17. What is the significance of water transport important features of the 'North Atlantic Sea Route'.

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60. 20. Describe any five characteristics of National Highways of India.

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61. 21. Identify the five geographical features shown on the given political outline map of the World (on page 13) as A, B, C, D and E and write their correct names on the lines marked near them with the help of the following information : A major sea-port An international airport A major industrial region An important area of nomadic herding A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any major sea-

port of Norway. Name any international airport of Yemen. Mention an important industrial region of Eastern United States of America. Name an important area of nomadic herding in east Africa. Name any one mega city of Brazil.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2018]

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62. 17. Which is the longest trans-continental railway of North America Describe its any four features.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

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63. 20. “Indian railways brought people of diverse cultures together.” Support this statement with suitable examples.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

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64. 21. In the given political outline map (on page 9) of the World, five features A, B, C, D and E have been shown. Identify these features, with the help of the information given below and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : A country having the lowest rank in Human Development Index A railway terminal station A major sea-port A major airport A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Which country has the lowest rank in the Human Development Name the terminal stations of the Australian Trans-Continental Railway. Name any one major sea-port of South America. Name the major airport of New Zealand. Name any mega city of North America.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

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65. 17. What is the importance of railways as a mode of land transport any four main features of the railway network in Europe.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

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66. 21. In the given political outline map (on page 9) of the World, five features have been shown by A, B, C, D and E. Identify these features with the help of the

information given below and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : An industrial region A terminal station of railway A major airport A major sea port A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any industrial region of North America. Name any terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway. Name any city of Brazil where an international airport is located. Name any sea-port of South Africa. Name the mega city of Indonesia.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

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67. 17. Which inland waterway of Europe is navigable between Basel and Rotterdam ? Explain its any four characteristics.

[Check Solution →](#)

[2015]

Answer Key

All MCQs at a glance

Attempt the MCQs first, then check here. Tap any question number to open its full worked solution.

Q1 ?	Q4 ?	Q7 ?	Q10 ?	Q13 ?	Q16 ?
Q2 ?	Q5 ?	Q8 ?	Q11 ?	Q14 ?	Q17 ?
Q3 ?	Q6 ?	Q9 ?	Q12 ?	Q15 ?	Q18 ?

Detailed Solutions

Every question worked step by step

Each card restates the question, shows the answer, then the full working. Use "Back to Q n" to return.

Q1

12. Which one of the following cities serve as headquarter of two railway zones ? 1 (A) Kolkata (B) Chennai (C) Jaipur (D) Bilaspur

- (A) Kolkata
- (B) Chennai
- (C) Jaipur
- (D) Bilaspur

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SOLUTION _____

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Q2

12. Which one of the following organisations regulate the air traffic of major (A) Airport Authority of India (B) Indian Airport Commission (C) Indian Air Control Board (D) Airport Development Authority

- (A) Airport Authority of India
- (B) Indian Airport Commission
- (C) Indian Air Control Board
- (D) Airport Development Authority

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SOLUTION _____

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Q3

14. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly (Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry Study the following table carefully and answer the Question Nos. 15 to 17 : Human Development Index 2022 S.N. Country HDI Value

- (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia
- (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
- (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam
- (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry Study the following table carefully and answer the Question Nos. 15 to 17 : Human Development Index 2022 S.N. Country HDI Value

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Q4

8. If you were asked to prepare a 'hill area development programme', which of the following must be kept in mind ? Choose the correct option : 1 I. Establishing heavy industry III. National Highway construction (C) II and III (D) II and IV

- (C) II and III
- (D) II and IV

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Q5

7. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly matched ? 1

(Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

- (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia
- (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
- (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam
- (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

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SOLUTION

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Q6

11. Which one of the following inland waterway and its stretch is correctly

(Waterways) (Stretch) (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

- (A) National Waterways No. 1 – Allahabad – Haldia
- (B) National Waterways No. 3 – Sadiya – Dhubri
- (C) National Waterways No. 2 – Kottapuram – Kollam
- (D) National Waterways No. 5 – Kakinada – Puducherry

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SOLUTION

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Q7

12. Which one of the following is the prime objective of 'Border Roads Organisation' ?

(A) Strengthening urban roads (B) Strengthening defence preparedness (C) Strengthening rural roads (D) Strengthening economic preparedness

- (A) Strengthening urban roads
- (B) Strengthening defence preparedness
- (C) Strengthening rural roads
- (D) Strengthening economic preparedness

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SOLUTION _____

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Q8

13. Which one of the following institutions constructed the 'Golden Quadrilateral Project' ? (A) National Highways Authority of India (B) State Highway Authority (C) Central Public Works Department (D) Border Roads Organisation

- (A) National Highways Authority of India
- (B) State Highway Authority
- (C) Central Public Works Department
- (D) Border Roads Organisation

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Q9

9. Choose the correctly matched pair : (Railway Zone) (Headquarter) (A) East Central Bhubaneswar (B) West Central Mumbai (C) North Central Gorakhpur (D) South

Central Secunderabad

- (A) East Central Bhubaneswar
- (B) West Central Mumbai
- (C) North Central Gorakhpur
- (D) South Central Secunderabad

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SOLUTION _____

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Q10

11. Match Column I with Column II correctly and choose the appropriate option :

Column I (Railway Zone) Column II (Headquarter) a. Northern i. Chennai b.

Southern ii. Mumbai c. Eastern iii. New Delhi d. Western iv. Kolkata Options : (A) a-i,

b-iii, c-ii, d-iv (B) a-i, b-iii, c-iv, d-ii (C) a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii (D) a-iii, b-i, c-ii, d-iv

- (A) a-i, b-iii, c-ii, d-iv
- (B) a-i, b-iii, c-iv, d-ii
- (C) a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii
- (D) a-iii, b-i, c-ii, d-iv

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Q11

11. Which one of the following states is not a partner of 'Konkan Railway' ?

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Q12

11. Which one of the following is the biggest government undertaking in the country ?

(A) Indian Railways (B) National Highways Authority of India (C) Border Roads Organization (D) All India Radio

- (A) Indian Railways
- (B) National Highways Authority of India
- (C) Border Roads Organization
- (D) All India Radio

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SOLUTION _____

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Q13

12. Read the programmes related to the proposed Bharatmala umbrella scheme carefully and choose the correct option : I. Backward areas, religious and tourist places connectivity programme II. To interconnect the four metropolitan cities of the country III. To develop State roads in adjoining coastal areas IV. To connect non-major ports in coastal states Options : (A) Only I, II and III are correct. (B) Only II, III and IV are correct. (C) Only I, III and IV are correct. (D) Only I, II and IV are correct. 64/2/1-12 11 P.T.O.

- (A) Only I, II and III are correct.
- (B) Only II, III and IV are correct.
- (C) Only I, III and IV are correct.
- (D) Only I, II and IV are correct. 64/2/1-12 11 P.T.O.

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Q14

7. Which of the following sea route connects Vancouver and Yokohama ? (A) South Atlantic sea route (B) North Pacific sea route (C) North Atlantic sea route (D)

- (A) South Atlantic sea route
- (B) North Pacific sea route
- (C) North Atlantic sea route

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Q15

7. Which one of the following sea routes is the busiest in the world ? (a) The North Pacific Sea Route (b) The South Pacific Sea Route (c) The Northern Atlantic Sea Route (d) The Southern Atlantic Sea Route

- (A) The North Pacific Sea Route
- (B) The South Pacific Sea Route
- (C) The Northern Atlantic Sea Route
- (D) The Southern Atlantic Sea Route

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SOLUTION _____

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Q16

10. Which of the following features is not true regarding NHAI ? (a) It is an autonomous body under the Ministry of Surface Transport. (b) It is responsible for

constructing and maintaining National Highways. (c) It also constructs village link roads. (d) NHAI was operationalized in 1995.

- (A) It is an autonomous body under the Ministry of Surface Transport.
- (B) It is responsible for constructing and maintaining National Highways.
- (C) It also constructs village link roads.
- (D) NHAI was operationalized in 1995.

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SOLUTION _____

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Q17

9. routes ? (a) Land and air routes (b) Land and sea routes (c) Air and sea routes (d) Only sea routes

- (A) Land and air routes
- (B) Land and sea routes
- (C) Air and sea routes
- (D) Only sea routes

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SOLUTION _____

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Q18

10. Which of the following is not true regarding the development of border roads ? (a) Integration of people of remote areas with major cities (b) Strengthening defence

preparedness (c) Helps in transporting goods to border villages (d) Help in developing large scale industries

- (A) Integration of people of remote areas with major cities
- (B) Strengthening defence preparedness
- (C) Helps in transporting goods to border villages
- (D) Help in developing large scale industries

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SOLUTION _____

[← Back to Q18](#)

Q19

5. Evaluate the significance of 'Border Roads'.

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Q20

19. Study the given map carefully and answer the questions that follow : Trans-Siberian Railway (19.1) Name the easternmost terminal station of the given rail route. 1 (19.2) Name the most important agro centre along the rail route. 1 (19.3) Name the Sea near to the westernmost terminal station. 1 Note : Following question is for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu for Question No. 19. Describe any three features of 'Trans-Siberian Railway'. 3 SECTION – C Question Nos. 20 to 23 are Short Answer type questions. (4 × 3 = 12)

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Q21

21. Explain the importance of the 'Northern Atlantic Sea Route'. 3

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SOLUTION

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Q22

23. Explain the need to extend the network of national highways in India. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long Answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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Q23

23. Explain the role of 'border roads' in the defence of the nation. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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Q24

23. Explain the role of oil and gas pipelines in the economic development of the country. 3 SECTION – D Question Nos. 24 to 28 are Long Answer type questions. (5 × 5 = 25)

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Q25

18. Read the given passage carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3 1=3
Services Services occur at many different levels. Some are geared to industry, some to people, and some to both industry and people, e.g., the transport systems. Services, such as grocery shops and laundries are more common and widespread than high-order services or more specialized ones like those of accountants, consultants and physicians. Services are provided to individual consumers who can afford to pay for them. For example, the gardener, the launderers and the barber do primarily physical labour. Teachers, lawyers, physicians, musicians and others perform mental labour. Many services have now been regulated. Making and maintaining highways and bridges, maintaining fire fighting departments and supplying or supervising education and customer care are among the important services most often supervised or performed by governments or companies. State and Union legislation have established corporations to supervise and control the marketing of such services as transport, telecommunication, energy and water supply. Professional services are primarily health care, engineering, law and management. The location of recreational and entertainment services depends on the market. 64/1/1-11 13 P.T.O.
(18.1) Mention any one example of common and widespread services. 1 (18.2) Who supervises and controls the marketing of services ? 1 (18.3) 1

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SOLUTION

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Q26

19. Study the given map and answer the questions that follow : 1+1+1=3 (19.1) Name the railway line given in the map. 1 (19.2) 2 1 + 2 1 =1 (19.3) Explain the importance of the railway line given on the map. 1 Note : The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 19. -Continental 3 1=3 (A) (B)

64/2/1-12 19 P.T.O. SECTION C Questions number 20 to 23 are Short Answer Type Questions. 4 3=12

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Q27

19. Study the given diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3 1=3
Inland Waterway (19.1) With which waterway is the given diagram related ? 1 (19.2)
Mention the names of places marked (A) and (B) in the given diagram. 1 1 + 2 2 =1
(19.3) Explain the importance of the waterway given in the diagram. 1 Note : The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only lieu of Q. No. 19.

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Q28

18. Study the given diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow : 3 1=3
Inland Waterway (A) (B) 80 79 30 9 9 80 79 30 64/3/2-13 15 P.T.O. (18.1) With which waterway is the given diagram related ? 1 (18.2) Mention the names of places marked (A) and (B) in the given diagram. 1 1 + 2 2 =1 (18.3) Explain the importance of the waterway given in the diagram. 1 Note : The following question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only lieu of Q. No. 18.

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Q29

12. Describe the importance of sea routes in handling India's foreign trade.

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SOLUTION _____

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Q30

10. Study the map given below carefully and answer the questions that follow :
Identify the waterway and name it. Through which countries does this waterway pass
Explain the economic importance of this waterway. Note : The following question is
for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 10 : Explain any three
characteristics of the Danube inland waterway.

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Q31

13. Study the diagram given below and answer the questions that follow : Name the
State in which this steel plant is located. Which rail route provides transport facilities
to this plant What is the main source of power for this steel plant Note : The following
question is for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 13 : Explain
any three characteristics of Tata Steel Plant. Dalli Rajhara Hills Line

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q32

11. Study the map given below carefully and answer the questions that follow :
Identify the waterway and name it. Through which countries does this waterway pass
Explain the economic importance of this waterway. Note : The following question is
for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 11 : Explain any three
characteristics of the Danube inland waterway.

[2019]

SOLUTION

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Q33

25. (a) "Railway is the mode of land transport for bulky goods and passengers over long distances." In the context of this statement, explain the significance of railways in the world. 5 (b) "Road transport is the most economical for short distances compared to railway." In the context of this statement, explain the significance of road transport in the world. 5

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SOLUTION

[← Back to Q33](#)

Q34

29. In the given political outline map of the world, seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five of them with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5
1 = 5 A. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway D. An international shipping canal E. An area of 'subsistence gathering' F. An area of 'commercial livestock rearing' G. An area of 'dairy farming' Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Attempt any five. 5
1 = 5 29.1 Name the westernmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway. 29.2

Mention a major sea port on the western coast of South America. 29.3 Mention an international airport of Kenya. 29.4 Name the shipping canal joining Pacific and Atlantic Oceans. 29.5 Mention one major region of 'subsistence gathering' in Africa. 29.6 Name a major area of 'commercial livestock rearing' in United States of America. 29.7 Name the major area of 'dairy farming' in North America.

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SOLUTION

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Q35

25. (a) "Roads play a vital role in trade and commerce of a country across the world." Support the statement with examples. 5 (b) "Railways are a mode of land transport for bulky goods and passengers over long distances in the world." Support the statement with examples. 5

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SOLUTION

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Q36

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A terminal station on the Trans-Australian Railway C. A major international airport D. An important inland waterway E. An area of subsistence gathering F. An area of extensive commercial grain farming G. An area of mixed farming Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name the western terminal station of the Trans-Australian Railway. (29.2) Name the place where a major sea port is located along the western coast of the United States of America. (29.3) Name the place where a major international airport

is located in (29.4) Mention the important inland waterway between Canada and the United States of America. (29.5) Mention a region of Africa where subsistence gathering is practised. (29.6) Name the area where extensive commercial grain farming is practised in New Zealand. (29.7) Mention an area of mixed farming in South America.

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Q37

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A major area of subsistence gathering B. A major area of extensive commercial grain farming C. A major area of nomadic herding D. A major area of commercial livestock rearing E. A terminal station of trans-continental railway G. A major international airport Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of subsistence gathering in South America. (29.2) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming in Africa. (29.3) Name a major area of nomadic herding in Asia. (29.4) Name a major area of commercial livestock rearing in North America. (29.5) Name the easternmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian railway. (29.6) Name the place in Western Australia where a major sea port is located. (29.7) Name the place of the United Kingdom where a major international airport is located.

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SOLUTION

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Q38

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. 5×1=5 A. A terminal station on Trans-Continental Railway C. An international airport D. A canal connecting Red Sea with Mediterranean Sea E. An area of subsistence gathering F. An area of nomadic herding G. An area of extensive commercial grain farming Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Question No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5×1=5 (29.1) Name the western terminal station of Trans-Canadian Railway. (29.2) Name the place where a major sea port is located in Yemen. (29.3) Name a place in United States of America where an international airport is located. (29.4) Name the canal which links Red Sea with Mediterranean Sea. (29.5) Name an area of subsistence gathering in South America. (29.6) Name an area of nomadic herding in Africa. (29.7) Name an extensive commercial grain farming region of Australia.

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SOLUTION

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Q39

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An area of extensive commercial grain farming B. A shipping canal C. A major sea port in Australia D. A major airport in Japan E. A major sea port of South America F. An area of subsistence gathering G. A major inland waterway Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming in Africa. (29.2) Name the canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea. (29.3) Name the major sea port located in western part of Australia. (29.4) Name the major airport of Japan. (29.5) Name the major sea

port of Brazil. (29.6) Name the main area of subsistence gathering in Africa. (29.7) Which is the major inland waterway in North America ? 64/1/1-11 19 P.T.O.

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Q40

25. (a) Name the canal linking the Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea. Explain its main features. 1+4=5 OR (b) Explain the characteristics of the Cape of Good Hope sea route. 5

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Q41

25. (a) Explain the characteristics of Trans-Siberian Railway. 5 OR (b) Explain the characteristics of Trans-Canadian Railway. 5

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Q42

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An area of extensive commercial grain farming B. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway C. An area of D. An area of commercial livestock rearing E.

A major sea port of Asia F. A major international airport of Europe G. A major shipping canal Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of extensive commercial grain farming of South America. (29.2) Name the eastern terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway . (29.3) Name an area of nomadic herding in Africa. 64/2/1-12 23 P.T.O. (29.4) Name the major country of commercial livestock rearing of South America. (29.5) Name the place where a major international airport is located in Japan. (29.6) In which country is Vancouver International Airport located ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea.

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Q43

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. B. - C. D. E. A major sea port of Asia F. A major international airport of Europe G. A major shipping canal Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) South America. (29.2) - (29.3) 64/2/2-12 23 P.T.O. (29.4) Name the major cou South America. (29.5) Name the place where a major international airport is located in Japan. (29.6) In which country is Vancouver International Airport located ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal linking Mediterranean Sea and Red Sea.

[2024]

SOLUTION _____

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Q44

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 25), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. A major area of subsistence gathering B. A major area of nomadic herding C. Terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway D. A major sea port of South America E. A major airport of Asia F. An inland waterway G. A major shipping canal

Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name a major area of subsistence gathering of North America. (29.2) Write the name of a major area of extensive commercial grain cultivation of Eurasia. (29.3) - (29.4) Name a major sea port located on the western coast of Canada. (29.5) Write the name of a major airport of Japan. (29.6) With which continent is Rhine Waterway related ? (29.7) Name the shipping canal connecting Atlantic Ocean to Pacific Ocean. 64/3/1-13 23 P.T.O.

[2024]

SOLUTION

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Q45

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. The largest country in Africa B. An area of extensive commercial grain farming C. A major seaport D. A shipping canal E. An international airport F. The westernmost station of the Australian Trans-Continental Railway G. The largest country in South America

Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Which is the largest country in Africa ? (29.2) Name an area of extensive commercial grain farming in Argentina. (29.3) Name any one major seaport in Japan. (29.4) Name the canal that connects the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean in the West. (29.5) Name a major airport of New Zealand. (29.6) Name the canal that

connects Red Sea to Mediterranean Sea. (29.7) Name the largest country in South America.

[2023]

SOLUTION

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Q46

26. (a) Describe the development of railways in Europe and Russia. 3+2=5 OR (b) Describe the benefits of water transport over railways. 5

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SOLUTION

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Q47

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. A major airport in Australia B. Largest country in terms of area in Europe C. A major seaport in South America D. A terminal station of Trans-Canadian Railway E. A major area of subsistence gathering F. Largest country in terms of area in Africa G. Terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name any international airport of Australia. (29.2) Name the important waterway that links the Great Lakes with the Atlantic Ocean. (29.3) Name the major seaport of Chile. (29.4) Name the terminal station of Trans-Canadian railway on the western end. (29.5) Mention the major area of subsistence gathering in Africa. (29.6) Name the largest country in Africa in terms of area. (29.7) Name the easternmost terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

[2023]

SOLUTION

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Q48

28. (a) Describe the development of railways in Europe and Russia. 3+2=5 OR (b) Describe the benefits of water transport over railways. 5 SECTION E Questions number 29 and 30 are Map based Questions.

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SOLUTION

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Q49

29. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 21), seven geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D, E, F and G. Identify any five with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : 5 1=5 A. An international airport in South America B. A canal linking Atlantic Ocean with Pacific Ocean C. A major seaport in Australia D. A terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway E. A major area of commercial livestock rearing F. An area of extensive commercial grain farming G. A major seaport in Asia Note : The following questions are for Visually Impaired Candidates only in lieu of Q. No. 29. Answer any five questions out of the following : 5 1=5 (29.1) Name any one international airport of Argentina. (29.2) Which canal links Atlantic Ocean with Pacific Ocean ? (29.3) Name any one major seaport of Australia. (29.4) Which is the terminal station on the eastern end of Trans-Siberian Railway ? (29.5) Mention the major area of commercial livestock rearing in Argentina. (29.6) Name any one area of extensive commercial grain farming. (29.7) Name any one major seaport located in Pakistan.

[2023]

SOLUTION

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Q50

17. Analyse any five points of importance of 'pipelines' as means of transportation.
OR Analyse the three factors that affect the development of inland waterways.
Explain the significance of Rhine inland waterways.

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q51

21. Identify the five geographical features shown on the given political outline map of the A, B, C, D and E. Write their correct names on the lines drawn near them with the help of the following information : (A) An industrial region (B) A major seaport (C) The terminal station of a transcontinental railway (D) An international airport A mega city Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu (21.1) Name any one industrial region of U.S.A. (21.2) Name any one major seaport of Chile. (21.3) Name the eastern terminal station of Australian transcontinental railway. (21.4) Name any one international airport of France. (21.5) Name the mega city of Philippines.

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q52

20. "Pipelines have become the most convenient and efficient mode of transporting liquids and gases over long distances in India." Support the statement with examples.

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q53

17. *AWdm Describe the significance of ‘Trans-Siberian Railway’. OR Describe the significance of ‘Trans-Canadian Railway’.*

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q54

20. *“Indian railways network is one of the longest networks of the world and has contributed a lot to the growth of the economy.” Support the statement.*

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q55

21. *On the given political outline map of the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify them with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them :
An area of nomadic herding An industrial region An international airport A mega city The terminal station of ‘Trans-Continental Railway’*
The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Mention any one area of nomadic herding in Africa. Name any one industrial region of Europe. Name any one international airport of the United States of America. Name any one mega city of Brazil. Name any one terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

[2019]

SOLUTION

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Q56

16. *AWdm Which apex body develops the border roads border roads with examples.
OR Explain with examples any five steps taken to increase the performance and quality of Indian Railways.*

[2019]

SOLUTION

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Q57

21. *On the given political outline map on the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify these features with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn on the map near them : A major seaport An international airport A Mega city An area of nomadic herding The largest country of the continent in terms of area The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any one major seaport located on the western coast of North America. Name any one international airport located in the western part of Australia. Name any Mega city of Africa. Name any one area of nomadic herding in Southern Hemisphere. Which is the largest country in terms of area in South America*

[2019]

SOLUTION

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Q58

21. On the given political outline map of the World (on page 13), five geographical features have been marked as A, B, C, D and E. Identify them with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them :
An area of 'Dairy farming' A major seaport An international airport An industrial region The terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway
Note : The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any one major area of dairy farming in the world. Name any one major sea port of Norway. Name an international airport in Chile. Which is the largest country in South America Name the western terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway.

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q59

17. What is the significance of water transport important features of the 'North Atlantic Sea Route'.

[2019]

SOLUTION _____

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Q60

20. Describe any five characteristics of National Highways of India.

[2018]

SOLUTION _____

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Q61

21. Identify the five geographical features shown on the given political outline map of the World (on page 13) as A, B, C, D and E and write their correct names on the lines marked near them with the help of the following information : A major sea-port An international airport A major industrial region An important area of nomadic herding A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any major sea-port of Norway. Name any international airport of Yemen. Mention an important industrial region of Eastern United States of America. Name an important area of nomadic herding in east Africa. Name any one mega city of Brazil.

[2018]

SOLUTION _____

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Q62

17. Which is the longest trans-continental railway of North America Describe its any four features.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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Q63

20. “Indian railways brought people of diverse cultures together.” Support this statement with suitable examples.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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Q64

21. In the given political outline map (on page 9) of the World, five features A, B, C, D and E have been shown. Identify these features, with the help of the information given below and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : A country having the lowest rank in Human Development Index A railway terminal station A major sea-port A major airport A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Which country has the lowest rank in the Human Development Name the terminal stations of the Australian Trans-Continental Railway. Name any one major sea-port of South America. Name the major airport of New Zealand. Name any mega city of North America.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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Q65

17. What is the importance of railways as a mode of land transport any four main features of the railway network in Europe.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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Q66

21. In the given political outline map (on page 9) of the World, five features have been shown by A, B, C, D and E. Identify these features with the help of the information given below and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them : An industrial region A terminal station of railway A major airport A major sea port A mega city The following questions are for the Visually Impaired Candidates only, in lieu of Q. No. 21 : Name any industrial region of North America. Name any terminal station of Trans-Siberian Railway. Name any city of Brazil where an international

airport is located. Name any sea-port of South Africa. Name the mega city of Indonesia.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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Q67

17. Which inland waterway of Europe is navigable between Basel and Rotterdam ? Explain its any four characteristics.

[2015]

SOLUTION _____

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